

CHIKUNGUNYA VIRUS DISEASE

- Caused by virus obtained from mosquito bites
 - Increased risk November-April
 - Increased risk during / after rainy season
 - Increased risk in urban and village areas
- Symptoms
 - Sudden onset of fever, rash on trunk and limbs, back pain, and severe joint pain / arthritis in multiple joints
- Countermeasures
 - Prevent mosquito bites
 - Use the DOD Insect Repellent System
 - Sleep under a permethrin-treated bed net

